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| PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2009 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).) | | Docket Number (Optional) SPINE 3.0-437 CIPCIPCIPCIPCIPCON IV | | |
| Application Number 10/784,628-Conf. #8401 | | Filed F | ebruary 23, 2004 | |
| For ANINTERVERTEBRAL SPACE | | | | |
| Art Unit 3733 | | Examiner | C. L. Negrelli | |
| This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. | | | | |
| The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): | | | | |
| | <u>Fee</u> | Small Entity Fee | | |
| x One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$130 | \$65 | \$130.00 | <u> </u> |
| Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$490 | \$245 | \$ | _ |
| Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$1110 | \$555 | \$ | |
| Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$1730 | \$865 | \$ | |
| Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$2350 | \$1175 | \$ | |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. | | | | |
| Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. | | | | |
| X The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. | | | | |
| The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 12-1095 . | | | | |
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| I am the applicant/inventor. | | | | |
| assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). | | | | |
| X attorney or agent of record. Req | 58,653 | | | |
| attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 | | | | |
| /William A. Di Bianca/ | | July 26, 2010 | | |
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| NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more | | | | |
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